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Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Restriction Requirement made final on March 22, 2006. Applicant requests Supervisory Review and consideration of the following remarks in support of rejoinder of claims 9-20 with claims 1-8 and 21.